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In re Patent Application of

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HOLDING JIG FOR ELECTRONIC

PARTS, HOLDING METHOD

THEREFOR, AND MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR ELECTRONIC PARTS

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## **STATUS INQUIRY**

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Sir:

Please advise, in writing, as to the current status of the above-captioned application. No response to the Petition to Restart Period Due to Non-Receipt of Office Action filed July 23, 2004 has yet been received.

Respectfully submitted,

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